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In re application of: Christopher J. Warren et al. Group Art Unit: 1741

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Examiner: J. Brown

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For: METHOD FOR CREATING AND TESTING A COMBINATORIAL ARRAY
EMPLOYING INDIVIDUALLY ADDRESSABLE ELECTRODES

Attorney Docket No.: 1012-065 (98-15)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated August 1, 2000, please amend Claim 19 as follows:

In part (d) after "addressable," please substitute --electrodes-- for "arrays."

Remarks

Claim 19 has been amended to correct an obvious typographical error addressing the location where the steps (b) and (c) are performed. Entry of the Amendment is respectfully requested.

Claim 19 is now further consistent with independent claims 40 and 41 where repeated serial or simultaneous depositing occurs at electrodes in order to create a library. Thus, no search is believed necessitated by this Amendment.